CONSULS PUT

Two Representatives of Nicaragua Summarily Dismissed.

GRAVE OFFENCE CHARGED

Greater Republic's Minister Says They Usurped Power.

ONE IN NEW YORK CITY.

A. D. Strauss Accepts Discharge, but Merry, of San Francisco, Shows Fight.

Senor Rodriguez Declares the Men Unwarrantably Gave Ships the Right to Fly the Flag of the Country.

successor, but Captain Merry is question successor, but Captain Merry is question-ing mb authority and is endeavoring to cause me trouble by refusing to give up NO BAL FOR HIM, the Seal and a portion of the archives of his office. I may be obliged to institute legal proceedings against him, but this I do not like to do. I might have reported these things to the State Department and made a serious international matter out of it, but I preferred not to create a sensation if I could avoid it. I presume I shall know in a few days how Millionaire Consul-General many other consuls have abused or overstepped their authority. However, I have caused all of them to be removed and have

lasigi, of Boston, Still a Prisoner.

Hampden Robb Unable to Help Him.

A CHAIR FACING CELLS.

Lawyer James Richards, Who Appeared for Him, Tried to Get a Low Bail, but It Was Put at \$10,000.

Turkish Consul-General Joseph A. Iasigi dertaken to discredit me among United is a prisoner at Police Headquarters. He is States Senators since he received my notice | the inillionaire who was arrested on Saturto Senator Perkins with any further com- funds of an estate of which he was the ustodian. The estate is valued at \$250,000

Washington, D. C., Feb. 14.—Since deal-ing a death blow to the Nicaragua Canal bill, which had been before the Senate

What particular benefits a ship may re-ceive by flying the flag of Nicaragua in a European or Oriental port Minister Rod-of the law firm of Coudert Brothers. All



a cell. He was escorted to the corridor and placed on a chair facing the cells.

Boston, Mass., Feb. 14.—The arrest in New York, Saturday, of Joseph A. Insigi on a charge of embezzling the Derieux Trust funds created a tremendous sensation. Insigi is Consul-General of Turkey, a member of the Somerset, Country and other swell Back Bay clubs, and an enthusiastic sportsman and an er-commodore of the Eastern Yacht Club. He is one of the leaders in Back Bay society.

While the warrant upon which Iasigi was made charges the embezziement of \$8,000 worth of securities only, it is believed by the police that about \$250,000 has disappeared. General Francis Peabody, who is acting as counsel for the Derieux heirs, who reside in France, says that he has given Iasigi every opportunity to produce the securities, and he has utterly failed. Mr. Peabody sald to-day: "My position, of course, prevents me from discussing the case as fully as I might. It would not be proper for me to tell you what I know. You may say that I have caused the arrest of Iasigi acting as counsel for Pierce Charles Derieux and Charles Armand Antolne Berger De Lavillardiere, the beneficiaries of these securities. The arrest was caused because Iasigi falled to produce about \$250,000 worth of securities which he held. You may say that I have positive and convincing proof to offer in support of the charge of the embezzlement of these securities."

Youthful Frank Miller Throws a Wire Over the Overhead Line and Gets a Bad Shock,

Frank Miller, thirteen years old, of No. into a New York edition of George Ed-221 North Fourth street, Williamsburg, has always possessed a streak of curiosity. This Mr. Ziegfeld was at a charge upon which the prisoner is held.

Immediately after his arrest lasigl sent messages to intimate friends in this city.

The definition of the corner of Ninth street and University place, yesterday and expressed great surprise that any intimation of his scheme

He picked up both ends of the wire and had gained publicity. He was carried into a store near by and in ambulance summoned from the Eastern District Hospital. The surgeon worked over the lad some time before he succeeded in reviving him, and when he learned his address he was taken home.

The wife and wife is true, however," he said, "that I have communicated with Manager Miner, and if I can secure a lease of his play house on any reasonable terms I shall inaugurate my season early next Fall.

e was taken home.
Young Miller's hands were badly burned,
Cabman Assaulted by Ruffians.

Should I fail I have another theatre in view, and if the worst comes to the worst,
I may build one. I think New York a fertile Goddard A. Doene, a builder living at No. 301

East Thirty-third street, appeared in Jefferson

Marker Politic Street, appeared in Jefferson farket Police Court yesterday as complainant against Charles Robertson and William Devlin. Doene said that while near the Metropolitan Opera House at midnight he saw thom and sex eral companions drag Edward Reynolds from his ab and assault him with a wrench. At the West Thirtleth Street Station Reynolds de-clined to make a charge against the prisoners. Doene said in court that the cabman was afraid to do so for fear some of the ruffians would kill him, and for that reason he would not ap-

HER DRESS ALL AFLAME

One of Mrs. Larkins's Rescuers, a Woman. Fights the Fire with Her Bare Hands.

The occupants of the tenement-house, No 338 East Thirty-ninth street, were startled yeaterday morning by the cry of "Fire! which was followed by moans and screams coming from the ground floor. The occu-pants rushed out of their apartments. At the door of the cellar they found Mary Larkins, fifty-four years old, trying to extinguish the flames on her clothing that

extinguish the flames on her clothing that were enveloping her body.

Among the first to reach the woman were John McDonald and John O'Connor, tenants of the building; they took off their coats and threw them about her, extinguishing the flames. Mrs. Kate Curley, who resides on the second floor, and with whom the woman boarded, also helped to put out the flaming dress and in so doing burned her hands and arms.

An ambulance from Bellevue Hospital was summoned, and the surgeon found that the woman was severely burned about the hands, arms and body. She was removed to the hospital; the doctors there say she

CONDUCTORS' CLUB OPENING.

These consul-generals are further charged with having received a monetary consideration for the granting of such extraordinary privileges, which they retained.

Police Inspector J. J. Colhus, or notice was in the court. He told Magistrate Corwal was in the court. He told Magistrate Cor

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Slavey, 'The Geisha' and the like, and it is to this form of amusement I shall direct my efforts. Native as well as foreign attraction. Matiness Wednesday and Sa tions will have a show, and I shall engage at a sufficient number of people so that when one company is at home the other may Manager Ziegfeld Wants the will be engaged. I shall make a personal tour of Europe this Summer for the ex-

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to Terms, Ziegfeld Says He'll

Build His Own

Theatre.

F. Ziegfeld, Jr., manager of Anna Held,

Evans and Hoey and "A Parlor Match," yes-

terday entered into negotiations with Con-

gressman H. C. Miner for the lease of the

Mr. Miner can come to terms it is the

former's intention to turn the Fifth Avenue

Shop Girl, 'The Galety Girl,' 'The Lady !

"As to Miss Anna Held, she has masered the English language so well that It LIKE THAT OF LONDON. Is my Intention to start her in a musical omedy in which she will appear both as girl and a boy. No, comic opera will be Comic Opera Will Be Barred, and eschewed at the new house and nothing neavier than burlesque, pure and simple, produced."

press purpose of engaging whatever talent

WAS THE CHILD KIDNAPPED? illian Brandenberger Went to Buy Candy

HAS OTHER SITES IN VIEW. and Got Lost. Lillian Brandenberger, five years old, left her home, at No. 245 Manhattan avenue. Congressman Miner Doesn't Come Greenpoint, yesterday afternoon, to purchase some candy in a nearby store. When she had not returned half an hour later her parents began a search for her, which proved unsuccessful.

They called at the Greenpoint Avenue Police Station and requested that a general alarm be sent out for their daughter. While the parents are inclined to believe their child was kidnapped the police believe the girl wandered away. Fifth Avenue Theatre. If Mr. Zlegfeld and -

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February 14, 1897, at 3:30 p. m. Relatives and friends, also members of Columbi Temple No. 11, T. of L. of A. and Local No. 715.

U. B. of C. and J. of A. are respectfully invited to attend services on Tuesday, February 16, 1897, at 2 p. m., at 164 Taylor street, Brooklyn.

SORENSEN.—At East Orange, N. J., on Sat-urday, Feb. 13, 1897, Francis E., beloved hus-band of Ada Ashworth Sorensen, in the 28th year of his age.

Funeral services will be held at his late

residence, No. 110 Steuben st., East Orange, on Tuesday, the 16th inst., at 10 s. m. Interment at New York Bay Cemetery at the

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Calderon at San Francisco to ascertain for me and to revoke all permits that have been issued.

Captain Merry Shows Fight.

"Cansul-General Strauss took his removal quietly and turned his office over to his street over the sand turned his office over to his street.

The first street of the francisco to ascertain for the first street of the firs

advised the Diet to make no appointme until it is thoroughly satisfied that the right men have been selected for the important positions. I have reported all of these cases to the Diet and am awaiting instructions before I do anything further.

'I do not know how Strauss received his appointment from Nicaragus, but Captain Merry has represented that republic as Consul-General for many years, and was appointed, I believe, through some friends in Central America. He lived in Nicaragua a year or so back in the sixtles, and be-cause of that brief residence there he sets himself up as a judge on Central American affairs, and questions my right o remove him. He has also informed Senator Perkins by wire that my action n regard to the Nicaragua Canal was prob ably unauthorized, and suggests cabling President Zelaya. Captain Merry has un-PERAZA PLACED IN CHARGE HERE. of his removal; it is simply spite work, day night at the request of the Boston and I shall not dignify his communication police on a charge of having embezzled the

Captain William L. Merry is president and the amount of money unaccounted for of the Board of Trade of San Francisco is \$8,000. Peter Charles Dericux made the and has been its president for many years.

He is an old sea captain and has sailed Immediately after his arrest lastel se many vessels around the Horn.

Benefit to the Ships.



Uncle Sam's Ram Katahdin.

She was to have joined Admiral Bunce's fleet at Charleston, but has been delayed. She is undergoing

changes which have not been completed.

privileges, which they retained

the Greater Republic of Central America, be willing to pay the Consular officers for tention to the Cousular officers representing his Government. The result is that he has discovered very grave usurpation of power on the part of two consuls of Nicaragua and, calling at the State De-Nicaragua and, calling at the State Consultance of the Con partment, he has caused the appointment the tonnage tax that is required of vessels morning. She was heavily veiled and with a "smoker," to which a large number of all consuls representing the three re-

Instances a consult may Issue what is known as a free pass for certain vessels; if a ship is built in New York for Nicaragna the Consul-General at New York may permit it to go out, bound for a port in Nicaragna, she country, flying the flag of Nicaragna, she country, flying the flag of Nicaragna, she remainder of the remainder

It is a right which belongs exclusively to the legislative bodies of Central America.

Said Minister Rodriguez to-night:

"Captain Merry and Mr. Strauss have been guilty of not only a breach of trust in registering ships and permitting them to fly the Nicaraguan fiag but they have violated the laws of Nica-

but they have violated the laws of Nicaragua. The punishment for such violation is a term of years at hard labor in a penni institution. If we had them in Nicaragua they would be prosecuted without delay. I am informed that Captain Merry has been imposing a certain tax for issuing these permits for one to three months, which he has put into his own pocket and did not report to the Government of Nicaragua, and the Nicaraguan flag has been imposing and the Nicaraguan flag has been imposing a certain tax for issuing these permits for one to three months, which he has put into his own pocket and did not report to the Government of Nicaraguan, and the Nicaraguan flag has been flown illegally on vessels to Russia, Australia and elsewhere. I do not know how many other consuls have been issuing such permits, but I have asked Cenzul-General for Calderon at San Francisco to ascertain for Calderon at San Francisco to ascertai Calderon at San Francisco to ascertain for Saturday afternoon. So did John Fried as.

for the past three weeks, the Minister of riguez did not specify; but there must be of them responded to the call, but no

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partiment, he has caused the appointment of all consuls representing the three republics of the Greater Republic to be revoked.

The two officers who have been summarily removed for assuming too much authority are Consul-General Adolfo D. Strauss, at New York and Consul-General William L. Merry, at San Francisco. In their places he has appointed Nicanor Bolet Peraza and Eustorgio Calderon, for New York and San Francisco for New Yo

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